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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Veronique ROULIER

SERIAL NO: 09/555,523

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FOR: STABLE OIL-IN-WATER EMULSION, PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING IT AND ITS USE IN COSMETICS AND DERMATOLOGY

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Marked-Up Copy of Amendment; English Translation of JP 09255529; U.S. 5,629,279; Declaration of Eric Quemin (3 pp, Executed) w/Exhibits A and B; Request for Extension of Time (1 Month)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

| CLAIMS      | CLAIMS REMAINING |  | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID | NO. EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE     | CALCULATIONS |
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|             |                  | <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS                   |                                | + \$280 =        |          | \$0.00       |
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- A check in the amount of **\$110.00** is attached for the One-Month Extension of Time.
- Please charge any additional Fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 18, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert at Page 1, line 1.

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 371 from PCT application no. PCT/FR99/02361, filed October 4, 1999, and under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from French patent application serial no. 98/12622, filed October 8, 1998.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please cancel the present abstract.

A new abstract on a separate sheet is attached, describing the subject matter in one paragraph.